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REVISED DBER-DMA RESEARCH PLAN FOR ROCKY FLATS HOT SPOT

J. F. Burke, Assistant Manager for Operations

regarding this plan and the total project.

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In response to your memorandum, subject as above dated March 7, 1975, we have reviewed the DBER plan, same subject dated February 28, 1975. Following are our recommendations and concerns

- We recommend that this project be managed in its entirety by the Dow coordinator, with RFAO and AL in observer and supportive roles. The Dow coordinator will have a great many other considerations for his attention, such as supplies, personnel, equipment, health protection, and waste handling besides the DBER research.
- 2. It will be important to schedule the excavation project during a period of low velocity winds. The Dow coordinator should establish the optimum time window by reference to the site climatology study by Loren Crow. We further recommend that Crow be retained as a consultant to the project to provide daily forecasting for the site. Although we agree that much of the information proposed to be learned from the DBER-planned studies could be valuable, some studies may have to be dropped in order to complete the work this summer (1975).
- 3. Having established the optimum time period, the Dow coordinator should, through contact with the proposed DBER contractors and others, establish the schedule to accomplish the work. All parties, including AL, should be advised of this schedule.
- 4. AL should assure that necessary arrangements have been made for receipt of the excavated soil. This is a concern because of the relatively low activity (<10 nCi/g) of the material and the various commitments regarding storage vs disposal that have been made at ID.

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5. Finally, we are concerned with the DBER plans for publication of reports (Items 26 and 27). As we have stated previously, we recommend that the Dow coordinator and RFAO review and comment on all reports generated by ERDA-supported research at Rocky Flats. Preferably, Dow should collect the reports into a single reference document for the project.

The AL contact for this project will be G. J. Werkema.

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